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SUBJECT: ITC FOOTWEAR CASE

REF: (A) STATE 236200 (B) SEOUL 7052 (C) SEOUL 7104

1. AS REPORTED REF C, EMBASSY BELIEVES THAT CONSULTATIONS AT THIS TIME WITH HIGH LEVEL ROKG OFFICIALS WOULD BE PREMATURE. THEREFORE, FORMAL CONSULTATIONS IN THE ABSENCE OF EVIDENCE OF RELEVANCY TO KOREA WOULD BE LIKELY TO BECOME COUNTERPRODUCTIVE TO U.S. INTERESTS BY PROVOKING OFFICIAL AND PERHAPS PUBLIC REACTION DISPROPORTIONATE TO THE LIMITED SIGNIFICANCE AND PROBABLE OUTCOME OF THE CASE. RECOMMEND THAT ANY DISCUSSIONS BE LOW-KEY AND CONFINED TO ROK EMBASSY LEVEL AT WASHINGTON FOR THE PRESENT TIME.

2. IF DISCUSSIONS HERE SHOULD BECOME APPROPRIATE, THE PRINCIPAL ROKG OFFICIALS INVOLVED ARE ASSISTANT MINISTER KIM DONG WHIE, MINISTRY OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS, AND ASSISTANT MINISTER KIM SUN KIL OF THE MINISTRY OF COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY.

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